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Exhibit A to Registration Statement Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

INSTRUCTIONS. Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently. The filing of this document requires the payment of a filing fee as set forth in Rule (d)(1), 28 C.F.R. § 5.5(d)(1). Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit A form at http://www.fara.gov.

Privacy Act Statement. The filing of this document is required by the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938 as amended, 22 U.S.C. § 611 et seq., for the purposes of registration under the Act and public disclosure. Provision of the information requested is mandatory, and failure to provide this information is subject to the penalty and enforcement provisions established in Section 8 of the Act. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, copy of informational materials or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this Act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the Registration Unit in Washington, DC. Statements are also available online at the Registration Unit's webpage: http://www.fara.gov. One copy of every such document, other than informational materials, is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of any and all documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. The Attorney General also transmits a semi-annual report to Congress on the administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents registered under the Act and the foreign principals they represent. This report is available to the public in print and online at: http://www.fara.gov.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .49 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, Registration Unit, Counterespionage Section, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503.

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1. Name and Address of Registrant				2. Registration No.
Mercury, 701 8th Street NW, Suite 650, Washington, DC 20001				6170
	Foreign Principal ent of Uganda.	4. Principal Address of Foreign Pr PO Box 25497 Kampala, Uganda	rincipa	ai
5. Indicate	whether your foreign principal is one of the fo	ollowing:		<u> </u>
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□ F	oreign or domestic organization: If either, ch	eck one of the following:		
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	Corporation	☐ Voluntary group	}	
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	State House			
b)	Name and title of official with whom registra	ant deals		
	Mrs. Lucy Nakyobe Mbonye, State House Co	ontroller		
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^{1 &}quot;Government of a foreign country," as defined in Section I(e) of the Act, includes any person or group of persons exercising sovereign de facto or de jure political jurisdiction over any country, other than the United States, or over any part of such country, and includes any subdivision of any such group and any group or agency to which such sovereign de facto or de jure authority or functions are directly or indirectly delegated. Such term shall include any faction or body of insurgents within a country assuming to exercise governmental authority whether such faction or body of insurgents has or has not been recognized by the United States.

/s/ John Vincent Weber

eSigned

John Vincent Weber, Partner

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Exhibit B to Registration Statement Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

INSTRUCTIONS. A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements, or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. Compliance is accomplished by filing an electronic Exhibit B form at http://www.fara.gov.

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Name of Registrant Mercury		2. Registration No.		-
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3. Na	ame of Foreign Principal			
Gov	vernment of Uganda			
	Chec	k Appropriate Box:		
4. 🗵	The agreement between the registrant and the above checked, attach a copy of the contract to this exhibit		al written contract. If this box	ĸ is
5. 🗆	There is no formal written contract between the regis foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of c correspondence, including a copy of any initial prop	orrespondence. If this box is check	ked, attach a copy of all pertir	nent
6. 🗆	The agreement or understanding between the registra contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or un-	the parties. If this box is checked	l, give a complete description	below of
7. De	escribe fully the nature and method of performance of	the above indicated agreement or u	inderstanding.	

Received by NSD/FARA Registration Unit 07/30/2014 5:49:53 PM 8. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal. Consulting and communications services to promote trade and investment opportunities in Uganda. For additional details see Schedule 1 (Services) in the Consulting Services Agreement. We are waiting for signature of the Consulting Services Agreement and will provide upon receipt. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(0) of the Act and in the footnote below? Yes ⊠ If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose. Lobbying Congress and Administration officials to promote trade and investment opportunities in Uganda. **EXECUTION**

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swears or affirms under penalty of perjury that he/she has read the information set forth in this Exhibit B to the registration statement and that he/she is familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Date of Exhibit B Name and Title Signature

July 30, 2014 John Vincent Weber eSigned

Footnote: "Political activity," as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act, means any activity which the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

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CONSULTING SERVICES AGREEMENT

Government of Uganda ("Client") hereby enters into this consulting services agreement ("Agreement") effective as of July 19, 2014 ("Effective Date") to retain Mercury Public Affairs LLC, a New York limited liability company having a business address at 250 Greenwich Street, 36th Floor, 7 World Trade Center, New York, NY 10007 ("Consultant"), as an independent contractor to perform the services described herein.

- 1. The Services. Client and Consultant agree that Client hereby retains Consultant to render consulting services to the Client as specified on Schedule 1 attached hereto. In addition, subject to any limitations set forth on Schedule 1, Consultant should provide such other reasonable consulting services as the parties shall mutually agree to in writing (together with the consulting services identified on Schedule 1, the "Services") during the Term (as described below).
- Payment Terms. Client and Consultant agree that Consultant shall be entitled to receive 2. the fees, compensation and retainer set forth on Schedule 2, which may be modified from time to time as mutually agreed to in writing. In addition, Client agrees to reimburse Consultant for reasonable and customary expenses actually incurred and properly documented in providing the Services. Such expenses would only be incurred with the approval of the Client. Payment for the first quarter (\$150,000.00) shall be made up front before work is started and upon execution of this contract. The Client shall receive with the billing a detailed schedule of activities delivered by the Consultant during the contract period. After the initial payment, payment shall be effected at the end of each quarter and subject to receipt of a report detailing the deliverables for the quarter by the Consultant. For ongoing fees, compensation or retainers, Client will be billed on the 1st of every quarter except if Agreement begins mid month. In such cases, Client will be billed on a prorated basis in the first and last month of the Agreement. In the event that Client does not pay such invoices within the specified timeframe, Consultant may suspend provision of Services until payment is made. All payments made by Client shall be without deduction or offset.
- 3. Term. The Term of this Agreement shall begin on the Effective date and will continue in effect until July 18, 2015 (the "Term"). The Term of this Agreement shall continue on a month to month basis thereafter, unless terminated by either party on thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other party. The Term of this Agreement can be terminated by either party on thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other party.
- 4. <u>Client Contact</u>. Client shall designate to Consultant, from time to time in writing, the primary contact for reporting and billing purposes. Contacts are identified on Schedule 3. Consultant shall keep the primary contact for reporting purposes regularly informed as to the status of the performance of the Services in accordance with this consulting Agreement.

- 5. Independent Contractor Status. Consultant agrees that it is an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of Client and Consultant will not hold itself out as such an agent or employee. Consultant has no authority or responsibility to enter into any contracts on behalf of Client.
- 6. Non-Compete. Each party acknowledges that the other party's employees are a valuable asset of such party. Accordingly, each party agrees that during the term of this Agreement and for one (1) year thereafter, such party shall not, directly or indirectly, knowingly recruit or solicit, or employ, engage as a consultant, or otherwise retain, any of the other party's employees who are involved in the performance of this Agreement. Each party agrees that the other party's remedy at law for a breach of the provisions of this paragraph shall be inadequate and therefore the non-breaching party shall be entitled to injunctive relief for such breach, without proof of irreparable injury and without posting bond, in addition to any other right or remedy it might have.
- 7. Confidential Information/Trade Secrets. During the course of the performance of the Services, Consultant shall obtain confidential information about the Government with the consent of the client and shall not disclose such information to a third party during the contract period or after the contact period unless the client agrees to such disclosure in writing. Information shall not be deemed confidential if such information is: (i) already known to Consultant free of any restriction at the time it is obtained, (ii) subsequently learned from an independent third party free of any restriction; or (iii) available publicly.
- 8. Non-Exclusive/Performance. Client hereby acknowledges and agrees that Consultant shall, during the Term and thereafter, be entitled to perform and render services or conduct operations of a nature similar or dissimilar to the services or operations performed for Client under this Agreement on behalf of itself or other entities in the same or similar business as Client and nothing contained herein shall preclude Consultant from doing so. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Section 8 to the contrary, Consultant represents and warrants that throughout the Term it will devote such personnel and resources in the performance of the Services as it deems reasonably necessary to perform such Services hereunder diligently and conscientiously.
- 9. <u>Indemnification</u>. Each party shall indemnify and hold harmless the other party, its principals, employees, officers and agents, (collectively, the "Indemnified Parties") from and against any and all liabilities, losses, claims, demands, actions, judgments, costs and expenses including but not limited to attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from any negligence, gross negligence or willful misconduct by the indemnifying party, its employees, officers, directors and agents.

Mechanics of Indemnity. Each party's indemnification obligations set forth herein are conditioned upon the Indemnified Parties: (i) giving prompt written notice of any claim, action, suit or proceeding for which the Indemnified Parties are seeking indemnity; (ii) granting control of the defense and settlement of the action to the indemnifying party; and (iii) reasonably cooperating with the indemnifying party with respect to the defense of the action. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Indemnified Parties may, at their option and expense, participate in the defense or settlement of any claim, action, suit or proceeding covered by this Section 9.

- 10. <u>Publicity</u>. Client shall not use Consultant's name, logo, trademarks or service marks in any advertising, publicity releases, or any other materials without Consultant's prior written approval.
- 11. <u>Assignment</u>. Neither party shall assign this Agreement or otherwise transfer, subcontract or delegate any of its rights and/or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of the other and any attempt to do so will be void.
- 12. Notices. Any notice or other communication required or which may be given hereunder will be in writing and either delivered personally or mailed, by certified or registered mail, postage prepaid, or sent via facsimile or email, and will be deemed given when so delivered personally or if sent via facsimile, to a facsimile number designated below with receipt thereof confirmed electronically, or if mailed, 72 hours after the time of mailing as follows:

If to Consultant:

Mercury Public Affairs LLC

14502 North Dale Mabry Hwy, Suite 104

Tampa, FL 33618
Attention: Bibi Rahim
Telephone: 813-908-1380

Fax: 813-969-0368

Email: Finance@mercurylic.com

If to Client:

Government of Uganda represented by State House

P.O Box 25497 Kampala Uganda

Attn. Mrs. Lucy Nakyobe Mbonye

Tel: 041 4 254954

Email: lmnakyobe@yahoo.com or

Either party may change the persons and address to which notices or other communications are to be sent to it by giving written notice of any such change in the manner provided herein for giving notice.

- 13. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the Laws of the State of New York applicable to agreements negotiated, executed and performed entirely within the State of New York, without regard to its conflicts of laws rules.
- 14. <u>No Liability of Consultant</u>. Consultant shall bear no liability to Client for loss or damage in connection with advice or assistance by Consultant given in good faith performance of the Services.
- 15. <u>Dispute Resolution.</u> All disputes arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be adjudicated in a court of competent jurisdiction located in New York County, New York. Client hereby irrevocably consents to and submits to the personal jurisdiction of such courts and waives any defense in the nature of forum non conveniens or like claim related thereto. Without limiting the foregoing, each party acknowledges that it is hereby

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waiving any right to have any such dispute resolved by jury trial.

The prevailing party in any legal proceeding in connection with this Agreement shall have the right to require the non-prevailing party in such proceeding to make payment to and reimburse the prevailing party for the entire amount of the legal fees and related expenses which the prevailing party shall have incurred in connection with the commencement, prosecution or defense of such proceeding and the trier of fact in such proceeding shall as a component of any judgment or award make an award to the prevailing party of such legal fees and expenses. The prevailing party shall be that party which shall have prevailed on a majority, but not necessarily all, of the material issues which were adjudicated in such proceeding.

16. General.

- (a) No amendments or modifications shall be binding upon either party unless made in writing and signed by both parties.
- (b) This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes all previous agreements, promises, proposals, representations, understandings, and negotiations, whether written or oral, between the parties respecting the subject matter hereof.
- (c) In the event any one or more of the provisions of this Agreement shall for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the remaining provisions of this Agreement shall be unimpaired, and the invalid, illegal or unenforceable provision shall be replaced by a provision which, being valid, legal and enforceable, comes closest to the intention of the parties underlying the invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision.
- (d) This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same instrument.
- (e) The parties hereto agree to perform any further acts and to execute and deliver any further documents which may be reasonably necessary or appropriate to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.
- (f) The section headings contained in this Agreement are inserted for convenience of reference only and will not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.
- (g) Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in this Agreement, in no event shall Consultant be liable to Client (whether for damages, indemnification or any other claim) for an amount greater than the amount of compensation (and not reimbursement for expenses) actually paid to Consultant by Client for the Services.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date noted above.

By:
Name: 15:11 Garl
Title: Partner
Date: 1/17/2014
Government of Uganda
Ву:
Name:
Title:
Date: / /2014

Services

Mercury will provide consulting and communications services to promote trade and investment opportunities in Uganda while developing special initiatives such as the "Ugandan Enterprise Empowerment Initiative."

The overall objective of the work is to promote Uganda as destination for expanded trade, attract foreign investors and strengthen the capacity of Ugandan enterprises to participate in investor supply chains to generate jobs and expand incomes.

Services shall include the following:

- Manage media relations and monitor all media globally, with an emphasis on USA. This include print, digital for coverage on the President and the Republic of Uganda
- ♦ For ease of reference the consultant will categorize the stories / publications / documentaries / audio or video recordings according to: i) Media Channel (Print/Newspaper, Radio, TV, and Web) ii) Region/Area iii). Item Area e.g Human Rights, Culture, Health, good governance etc.
- For each story, capture and record; the title, media source (radio, TV, Internet, etc.), thematic area, Author (Person reporting the story), organization being quoted, date of story, name of specific media and any other fields that shall be deemed necessary for our database
- Disseminate information about Uganda using all available media avenues, document and report these publications, documentaries and stories to the Press Unit of the President's Office, Office of the Press Secretary to ensure regular and updated briefings to the Presidency. Where possible some of these reports will be circulated widely in the local media using the State House Portal.
- Lobbying services

Expected Outcomes are the following:

- For the duration of the contract, the consultant will undertake to carry out media monitoring (reports on The President and the government of Uganda) and a weekly/monthly report be sent through email to designated State House staff
- For the duration of the contract a summary of weekly/monthly reports of the items making the news should be sent to the designated State House Press Unit team. The consultancy's proposal should give sample reports of how they plan to disseminate these summary reports, that will be used to formulate briefs for the Principal.
- In addition, the consultant will provide an overall global media report showing the ranking of the Presidency and the government by different media channels in a particular region of interest and classify such reports by media channel, i.e.; radio, TV, Print, Internet, social media etc. and by their target audiences

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Services (cont.)

Consultant will comply with the provisions of all federal, state and local laws, regulations, and requirements pertaining to the performance of services under this contract.

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Compensation

For consulting services identified in Schedule One, Client will compensate Mercury Public Affairs, LLC \$50,000.00 per month to be paid on a quarterly basis. The initial quarterly payment of \$150,000.00 is due up front upon the execution of this contract.

Payment shall be made by wire transfer to the account detailed on Schedule 4 (Wire transfer information).

Polling expenditures and any media/advertising expenditures including both production and placement will be billed in addition to the monthly retainer and will only be made with the approval of the Client.

Additional miscellaneous expenses, such as travel, will be billed in addition to the retainer and expenditures would only be made with the approval of the Client.

Contact Information

Government of Uganda represented by State P.O Box 25497
Kampala Uganda
Attn. Mrs. Lucy Nakyobe Mbonye
Tel: 041 4 254954

Email: lmnakyobe@yahoo.com or

Wire transfer information

Consultant payment instructions for receipt of wires, ACHs or book transfers are below.

The information is as follows:

Account Number:

Bank: Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. ABA Number:

Or

SWIFT Code/BIC

Bank Address: 420 Montgomery Street

San Francisco, CA 94163

Bank Contact: Paula M. Struckman Phone 612-667-8617

Payment notification email address: DASaccounting@mercurvilc.com

Please reference the Consultant invoice number when making payments.